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Subject: OPTIONAL BOLTED FIELD SPLICE

When an optional bolted field splice is detailed, place the following note on the plans:

"At the Contractor's option, the optional bolted field splice may be omitted, provided the Contractor obtains all permits required for transporting the longer piece lengths."

This policy is effective immediately. The Standard Notes have been updated and the Design Manual will be revised at a later date.

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